

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
JOB OPPORTUNITY
Psychologist (Clinical)
Full-time (40 hours bi-weekly)

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Open To: Public

Location: Albert J. Solnit Children's Center - North Campus

Job Posting No: VB96227N2

Hours: 1st shift 8:00 am - 5:00 pm with 1 evening shift

Salary: \$81,111.00 - \$110,305.00 yearly

Closing Date: 5/11/13

Examples of Duties:

Participates in and coordinates clinical psychological services for a complex ward or group of wards or comparable units staffed by psychiatric, nursing or other patient care personnel; provides consultation on difficult cases representing complex mental, emotional and/or social problems; engages in diagnostic and psychotherapeutic services; attends staff meetings; coordinates psychological treatment modalities with other disciplines and services; develops and implements new service programs; conducts research and reports findings in a manner suitable for professional publication; consults with community agencies and organizations; conducts training sessions for interns and staff and may participate in training of psychiatric residents; may address lay and professional groups; performs related duties as required. This position will work as part of a multi-disciplinary team and is accountable for skilled clinical care, including; carrying a caseload, conducting pre/post assessment and psychological testing of youth with complex behavioral health needs.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Considerable knowledge of abnormal and clinical psychology; considerable knowledge and skill in selection, administration, scoring and evaluation of intelligence, achievement, personality and diagnostic tests; considerable knowledge of psychological research methodology including experimental design, data analysis and application of findings; knowledge of other psychological disciplines; considerable interpersonal skills; considerable oral and written communication skills; considerable ability to make clinical diagnosis and prognosis and develop treatment plans; considerable ability to conduct psychotherapy; considerable ability to write case histories, discharge summaries and professional reports; ability to coordinate clinical services with comprehensive and multidisciplinary treatment plans.

General Experience:

A doctorate degree in clinical or counseling psychology and one (1) year of post doctoral experience as a psychologist working under the supervision of a licensed psychologist.

Special Requirements:

1. Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice psychology in Connecticut. Any person employed by the State of Connecticut prior to July 1, 1985 with a title in the Psychology series of the classified service shall be exempt from the above licensure requirement pursuant to Public Act 613, Section 119(c). For certain positions the appointing authority may require state licensure.
2. Incumbents in this class may be required to be fluent in a foreign language or proficient in the use of American Sign Language.
3. Incumbents in this class may be required to travel.

Working Conditions:

Incumbents in this class may be required to lift and restrain patients/ clients or inmates; may have some exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to risk of injury from assaultive/abusive patients/clients or inmates; may be exposed to disagreeable conditions.

Note: The filling of this position shall be in keeping with established reemployment, transfer, promotion, and SEBAC employment obligations.

Application Instructions: Current state employees having permanent status in this classification must submit an 1199 Lateral Transfer Request Form. All others must submit a CT-HR-12 (employment application), resume, and three (3) letters of supervisory reference, original transcripts and a copy of any license or certification required by the closing date; current state employees must submit their two most recent performance appraisals in lieu of references. Include the specified posting number on all application materials. Please mail all applications materials to the address indicated.

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